

Attorney Docket: AVID.13-2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: LUMPKIN, ET AL.

SERIAL NO.: 09/685,284

FILED: OCTOBER 10, 2000

TITLE: CABLE FEED FOR A MECHANICAL
BALL BEARING DISC BRAKE

EXAMINER: KRAMER, D.

ART UNIT: 3613

CONFIRMATION NO.: 4451

VIA FACSIMILE ONLY
703-308-6916

FAX RECEIVED

'APR - 9 2002

PETITIONS OFFICE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE TO PERMIT
CONSIDERATION OF AN INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 IN A
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114
(37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2))

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for the withdrawal of this application from issue. The issue fee was paid on January 15, 2002.

The reason for petitioning for withdrawal from issue of this application is for consideration of relevant prior art which was brought to Applicants' attention by a third party on April 4, 2002.

An Information Disclosure Statement containing this art is being filed with this petition together with a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a)(1).

04/10/2002 AKELLEY 00000021 195117 09685284

01 FC:122 130.00 CH

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office facsimile No. (703) 308-6916 on April 9, 2002.

Signature:

Name: Elizabeth A. McArthur

The undersigned hereby authorizes the charge of the fee under 37 CFR §1.17(i) in the amount of \$130.00 and any deficiency of fees submitted herewith to be charged to deposit account No. 19-5117.

Respectfully submitted,

John

Thomas D. Bratschun, #32,966
Swanson & Bratschun, L.L.C.
1745 Shea Center Drive, Suite 330
Highlands Ranch, Colorado 80129
(303) 268-0066

cc: Wayne Lumpkin

S:\CLIENT FOLDERS\AVID\13\13-2\WITHDRAW FROM ISSUE.DOC

[illegible]